GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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PROJECTS UNDER EAS
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the projects being run under Employment Assurance Scheme(EAS) during the last three years, State-wise;

(b) whether the Union Government have been receiving compliance report in respect of these projects;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(e) the action proposed to be taken in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU)

(a) The works which can be taken up under the Employment Assurance Scheme (EAS) are of the nature of soil and moisture conservation, minor irrigation rejuvenation of drinking water sources and augmentation of ground water, traditional water harvesting structures and such other works which are labour intensive and result into durable assets. Any work to be taken up under the EAS has to form part of the Annual Action Plan which is approved by Zilla Prishad. The details of such works are maintained at the District level.

(b) to (e) The Employment Assurance Scheme is monitored at the Central level through prescribed Monthly and Annualreports indicating utilisation of funds and mandays of employment generated.